LAKE HERMITAGE FIELD 04-359 and 04-360

LEGAL NOTICE

STATE OF LOUISIANA, OFFICE OF CONSERVATION, BATON ROUGE, LOUISIANA.

In accordance with the laws of the State of Louisiana, and with particular reference to the provisions of Title 30 of Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, a public hearing will be held in the Hearing Room, 1st Floor, LaSalle Building, 617 North 3rd Street, Baton Rouge, Louisiana, at 9:00 a.m., on TUESDAY, APRIL 13, 2004, upon the application of STONE ENERGY CORPORATION. At such hearing the Commissioner of Conservation will consider evidence relative to the issuance of an Order pertaining to the following matters relating to the UL-2 and UL-4 Sand, in the Lake Hermitage Field, Plaquemines Parish, Louisiana.

- 1. To determine that the UL-2 and UL-4 Sands are economically depleted of hydrocarbons in order that an exception to Statewide Order No. 29-B, Section XV 2.2D may be granted.
- 2. To consider such other matters as may be pertinent.

The UL-2 Sand, in the Lake Hermitage Field, Plaquemines Parish, Louisiana, is defined as that sand occurring between the depths of 11,170' - 11,178' and the UL-4 Sand is defined as that sand occurring between the depths of 11,616' - 11,646' in the Stone Energy Corporation No. 7 Well.

Application is available for inspection in the Office of Conservation in **Baton Rouge** and **Lafayette**, Louisiana.

www.dnr.state.la.us/CONS/CONSEREN/hearings/pubhearings.htm.

All parties having interest therein shall take notice thereof.

BY ORDER OF:

JAMES H. WELSH COMMISSIONER OF CONSERVATION

Baton Rouge, La 3/10/04;3/13/04 L dpe

IF ACCOMMODATIONS ARE REQUIRED UNDER AMERICANS WITH DISABILITIES ACT, PLEASE ADVISE THE OFFICE OF CONSERVATION - ENGINEERING DIVISION AT P. O. BOX 94275, BATON ROUGE, LA 70804-9275 IN WRITING WITHIN FIVE (5) WORKING DAYS OF THE HEARING DATE.